



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/782,159  
Filing Date: February 19, 2004  
Applicant: Rainer Immel  
Group Art Unit: 3744  
Examiner: William C. Doerrler  
Title: METHOD OF OPERATING A CRYOGENIC LIQUID GAS  
STORAGE TANK  
Attorney Docket: 8540G-000188 (GP-303101)

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 11, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 8 of this paper.